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COTTON CLINIC AT TULARE NEXT TUESDAY

TULARE — A "Cotton Clinic" that will present a panel of specialists in all phases of cotton production will be held at the Veterans' Memorial auditorium in Tulare next Tuesday, February 6, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

The meeting will be conducted by Frank Bergon, president of the Western Cotton Growers' association, a member of the advisory committee of the California Farm Bureau Federation for cotton, and a farmer himself.

On the panel will be specialists from several well-known companies: Shell, Olin, Mathieson, American Cyanamid, Ansul and Chevron Chemical.

Cotton production from plow-down to harvest will be discussed, with specific topics including suppression of fungus and control of seedling rot, the eradication of insects, the control of weeds, proper methods and advantages in de-

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Milk Pooling To Be Explained By Industry Men

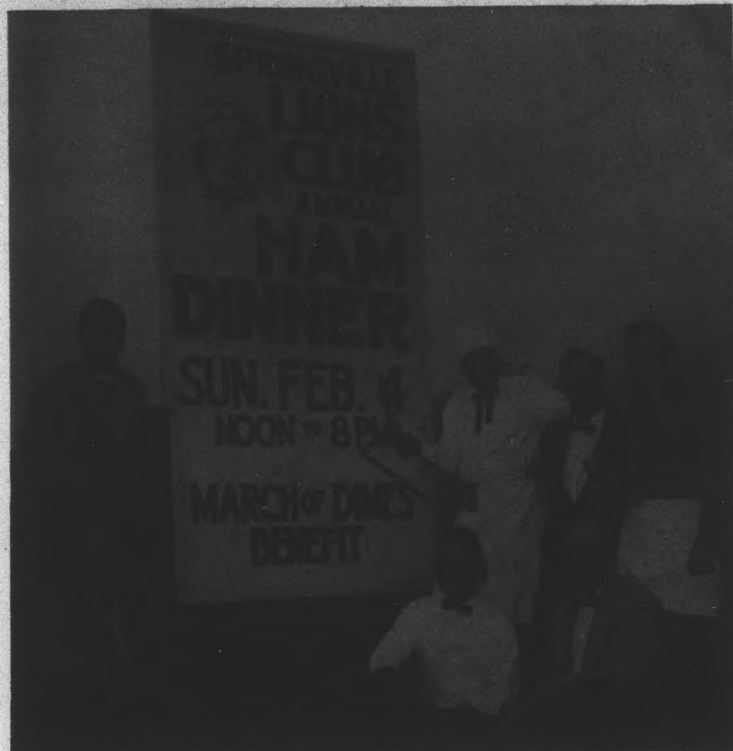
TULARE — Proposed state-wide milk pooling plan, as authorized under State Assembly Bill No. 910, will be explained by a panel of dairy industry representatives at a meeting in the Home Economics building on the Tulare County Fair grounds in Tulare, tomorrow, February 2, starting at 9 a.m. All county dairymen are urged to attend.

The meeting is being sponsored by the Consolidated Milk Producers' association and by the Agricultural Extension service, University of California.

Appearing on the program and panel will be: Levi Hubble, secretary-manager of Consolidated Milk Producers; Neil Quesenberry, Tulare County Farm advisor; George DeMedeiros, general manager, Dairyman's Cooperative Creamery;

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MOUNTAIN LIONS READY TO GO WITH ANNUAL MOD HAM DINNER



THE POTS are hot and the Mountain Lions are ready to go with their annual March of Dimes ham dinner that will be served Sunday, February 4, at the Springville Memorial building, 12 noon until 8 P.M. In photo, from left, are: Phil Olson; Tom Masonheimer, chief cook; Everett Brumback and Bob Werner; kneeling, Dick Coon, publicity chairman; Dick Maas; and Ken Fox, general chairman who has headed up the dinner committee for the past 14 years.

Wes Maas is in charge of the dining room setup and waiters; Clyde Simpson is in charge of ticket sales; and Pete Ostrander is president of the Springville Lions club. Adult dinner tickets are \$2.00; children under 12 years, \$1.00. Homemade desserts will be included in the dinner. During the years that Springville Lions have served the annual dinner, well over \$10,000 has been raised for the March of Dimes, now devoted to the fight against crippling diseases.

(Farm Tribune photo)

All-Risk Federal Crop Insurance Available To County Cotton Farmers

FRESNO — Application period for All-Risk Federal Crop Insurance protection on irrigated cotton is open for a limited time in Tulare county.

E. Kirk Harper, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation state director, said the protection being offered for the 1968 crop year remains the same as last year when it was introduced. In addition, the program has been expanded to include Fresno, Kern and Kings counties.

"About 250 insured farmers in the county are sharing in an estimated half-a-million dollars now being paid by FCIC due to losses from insects and weather to their 1967 cotton crops," Harper says.

"This will add substantially to the county farm economy and help offset financial losses due to poor crops," he adds.

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TICKETS MOVING FOR LINCOLN DAY DINNER FEB 9

PORTERVILLE — Tickets are moving well for the Lincoln Day dinner of the Tulare County Republican Central committee that will be held the evening of February 9 in the new Gang Sue Lantern room.

Speaker will be Congressman Bob Wilson, of San Diego, chairman of the Republican Congressional committee. He will be ac-

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CITY OF HOPE SPECTACULAR IN REHEARSAL

PORTERVILLE — Annual City of Hope Spectacular is moving into final stages of rehearsal under the direction of Buck Shaffer, and lively, new talent, plus some of the fine talent from past shows, will be ready to go at curtain time, 8 p.m., Saturday, February 10, in the Porterville Memorial auditorium.

New talent working for a spot on the show includes The Kings Men, a singing group; the Slusser boys with their magic act; Shirley Hughes, guitarist and singer of folk songs; Lynda Rogers, with her own arrangement of "Billy Joe;" and others.

Returning to the City of Hope stage will be The Shandells, the High School Majorettes, Alice Peterson, Ralph Bernier, the Madrigal Singers, under the direction of Dean Sample, and Gary Garcia.

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PORTERVILLE CHAMBER BANQUET SET

PORTERVILLE — Ticket sales indicate a capacity crowd of some 500 persons when the Porterville chamber of commerce stages its 61st annual banquet Saturday evening in the cafetorium on the new Monache High School campus. Serving will start at 7 p.m.

To be honored at the banquet are the news media of Porterville — The Porterville Evening Recorder, Radio Station KTIP, and The Farm Tribune, with Chamber President Sandy Ward to present a salute to the news media.

Speaker of the evening will be T. M. Robinson, a retired commander in the U. S. Navy, who, as a PT boat commander in World War II was engaged in the action in which PT Boat 109, skippered by John F. Kennedy, the future president of the United States, was cut in two by a Japan-

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Canterbelles To Stage Horse Show At Rocky Hill Arena On March 24

PORTERVILLE — Porterville's Canterbelles will stage their eighth annual horse show at the Rocky Hill arena March 24, with English and Western classes, plus gymkhana classes.

The event is a California State Horsemen's association junior high point approved show. Classes will be set up for competitors through 13 years, and for 14 years and over. Entry is open to all comers.

Judging the show will be Jack George, of Fresno; show chairman is Kyle Hill; show secretary is Joan Woody.

For the first time in the history of the show trophies will go from first to fifth in each class. In addition, high point trophies will be awarded in the two age classifications.

The Canterbelles are currently the 1967-68 State Champion Junior Drill Team, C.S.H.A.

FIDDLEFADDLING MUST STOP! JACKASS MAIL FACES CRISES. EMERGENCY SESSION CALLED

EMIGRANT TRAIL — The fiddlefaddling and lollygagging that has marked the deplorable antics of certain carpetbaggers and saddlebums who have drifted down the emigrant trail from nowhere must stop if the Jackass Mail is to get through to Springville on March 30.

Pursuant to this current crisis, the permanent wagon master, W.B. Rodgers, has hitched on his shootin' irons and is calling a meeting of certain reliable citizens for 8 a.m. — that's right, 8 a.m., at the Porterville chamber of commerce office — that's right agin' podner, the chamber of commerce office, this morning, Thursday, February 1.

Items of more than surpassing importance, namely details of organization concerning movement of the splendid cavalcade from the appointed place at the appointed time, are on the agenda, namely and to wit, the procurement of

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ANNIE OAKLEY Thrall, a winsome frontier lass who certain carpetbaggers and saddlebums are booming for wagon master of the Jackass Mail, gets a word of wisdom from W.B. Rodgers, the acclaimed and proclaimed permanent wagon master of the Mail. Says Rodgers, "Annie, baby, I will gladly step down and join the carpetbaggers and saddlebums in support of your candidacy, if - and I do repeat if - you will just grow a purty little ol' beard." Always a gentleman, that Rodgers.

(Photo by Art Thrall)

March 10 Date Is Set For Cutting Horse Show

PORTERVILLE — March 10 has been set as date for the Porterville Cutting Horse show that will be held in the Porterville Fair Horse Show arena under sponsorship of the Central California Cutting Club of Clovis. Rain date is March 17.

Ten classes have been set up, judge will be Bob Mettler, cutting horse trainer from Bakersfield. Handling local arrangements are Dan Mahnke and Ray Jones.

Sponsors of classes are now being sought by Mahnke, who says that all pro-

ceeds from the show will go to Porterville Future Farmer and 4-H organizations for improvement of the fair grounds, principally for painting of the dressing room facility that was constructed last year.

Only club members are eligible to compete, however, membership is open and owners of cutting horses can join the club, prior to the show, for a membership fee of \$7.50. Entry fee is \$5.00 per class, with trophies to go to winners.

Developing of cutting

horses is the primary object of the club that now has a membership of nearly 200 in the valley area from Porterville to Turlock.

Competitive classes are set up so that horses in all stages of training, from beginners to open class competitors, will compete in their own class.

The show in Porterville will get underway at 10 a.m. Food will be available on the grounds, supplied by members of the Burton 4-H club, under the leadership of Al Winton.

Editorial Comment

SECOND LOOK AT VIET CONG

For a long time a good many anti-war advocates, Bobby Kennedy prominent among them, have demanded peace talks with the Viet Cong represented, and an eventual South Viet government that includes members of the VC political arm, the National Liberation Front.

That this is balm to the communists has long been considered obvious by more conservative thinkers; and now the proof seems irrefutable. Johnson Administration officials have in their possession a Viet Cong document seized by U.S. troops which admits that military victory seems beyond their grasp "now", and presents the alternative of getting NLF agents into a coalition government in South Vietnam. Such a coalition, the document declares, "will be advantageous to our revolutionary goals", and if the VC thereby can control government, workers and peasants, "it does not matter if there are a few (non-party) notables at the top."

The Saigon government has expressed to a number of American visitors a serious concern over the coalition movement in this country. They understand the communist infiltration-takeover technique and don't want to lose at the conference table what we've been shedding blood to achieve on the field of battle.

All of which puts the propagandists for peace at any price in a difficult position. With the bitter, bloody lesson of the Korean "talks" still fresh in memory, it would seem imperative that we approach the universally wanted solution in Vietnam not with ideological emotion, but with hard-nosed realism.

OUR TOWN

By Ruth Loyd

Trust Cris Lalanne to do something about it. As the result of OUR COUNTRY'S action in Viet Nam there are more amputees from

there than from the Korean War and World War Two combined. Many of these men are in the Oak Knoll hospital. These men need lap robes. The robes can be made of any suitable yarn, and should be 36 by 48 inches. The men get attached to their lap robes

GOLD AND GLORY WAITING FOR GIRL WHO IS SELECTED AS QUEEN OF SPRINGVILLE RODEO, APRIL 6-7

SPRINGVILLE - Gold and glory are waiting for the girl who is selected as queen of the 1968 Springville rodeo, set for April 6 and 7 in the Springville Rodeo arena.

Mrs. Veronica Bone, queen contest chairman, states that the Springville Rodeo queen will receive \$100 in cash, plus a crown and a trophy.

"In fact all the girls in the contest will earn money," Mrs. Bone says, "since contestants will retain 25 per cent of the amount they turn in from sale of special tickets."

Trophies will go to the girls named first and second princess; a bracelet will be awarded to the girl who contestants vote as "Miss Congeniality."

To enter the contest for queen of the Springville rodeo, a girl must be unmarried; must be between the ages of 16 and 21 years; and must reside in Tulare

county.

Mrs. Bone says that final selection of a queen and princesses will be on a basis of ticket sales, 50 per cent, and horsemanship, 50 per cent.

Entries will close February 16, at 7:30 p.m., when all entrants will meet in the Springville Memorial building to receive tickets,

PRAIRIE CENTER 4-H HAS ACTIVE PROGRAM GOING

LINDSAY - Prairie Center and Lindsay 4-H clubs held a judging night, recently, at the Jefferson Elementary school, with eight classes: Home economics, electricity, wood-working, sewing, livestock, home furnishings, plant propagation and crops.

Mike Hartman was the general chairman from the Lindsay 4-H club; committee that helped during the

and I'll see that you get it.

Bea Baucom likes Prince Jim. She just can't see what I see in Brenda's boy friend. Bill takes a dim view of the treatment they are giving Prince Jim, and Bill should know. I wonder what happened to Brenda's boy friend's eye. I don't even know what his name is. By the way Bea, remember you are going to call me when the new colt arrives. I've never seen a new colt, and you promised.

Bob Nuckols is about to become a grandpa. He and son Bob had the thrill of putting together a new crib. Grandpa isn't too good about putting cribs together. I'm surprised too. Gail is going to be the new mother, and Betty Pearson gave a lovely shower for her, and you should see the loot. Enough for twins, but Mary Lou Eisner is the one who is going to have twins. I'm going to stick to just being a grandmother. It is so nice to send them home after a visit. It's a lot of work being a mother.

Happiness is being able to tuck a king size pillow under your chin, and have arms enough to pull on the pillow case.

and to pose for publicity pictures.

Winners in the contest will be announced the evening of March 30 during a Coronation ball, also in the Springville Memorial building.

Horsemanship will be judged in the Springville Rodeo arena March 16 at 1:30 p.m.

Girls may enter the contest now by writing to: Mrs. Veronica Bone, P. O. Box 332, Springville, or by telephoning 539-2812.

event from the Prairie Center 4-H club were: Gail Ward, chairman, Kathy Blua, Diane Della, Nancy Lee, Claudia Manning and Karen Wilcox.

After score cards were turned in and graded it was announced that Georgetta Zickert was the top scoring 4-H member from the Prairie Center club, with Gail Ward, Kathy Blua and Jeff Meik close behind her. In the junior division (members 4th through 6th grade) Johnny Harrington scored second highest from the Prairie Center club.

On January 27, the C.O.S. Agricultural department held a judging day at the school farm in Visalia for Tulare County 4-H members. Members judged, and learned how to judge, beef, dairy, sheep and swine. Members attending from Prairie Center club included: Christine and Ernest Heuer, Wanda, Duain and Norma Hilty, Jeff and Matt Meik, Gary Santos and Gail Ward.

The Porterville Area Field day will be held on February 24 at Monache High school. This event is the preliminary competition for 4-H demonstrations in the county. A meeting has been scheduled to plan for this event on Thursday, February 1, at 7:30 p.m. in the community room of the Security First National bank, 127 North Main street, Porterville.

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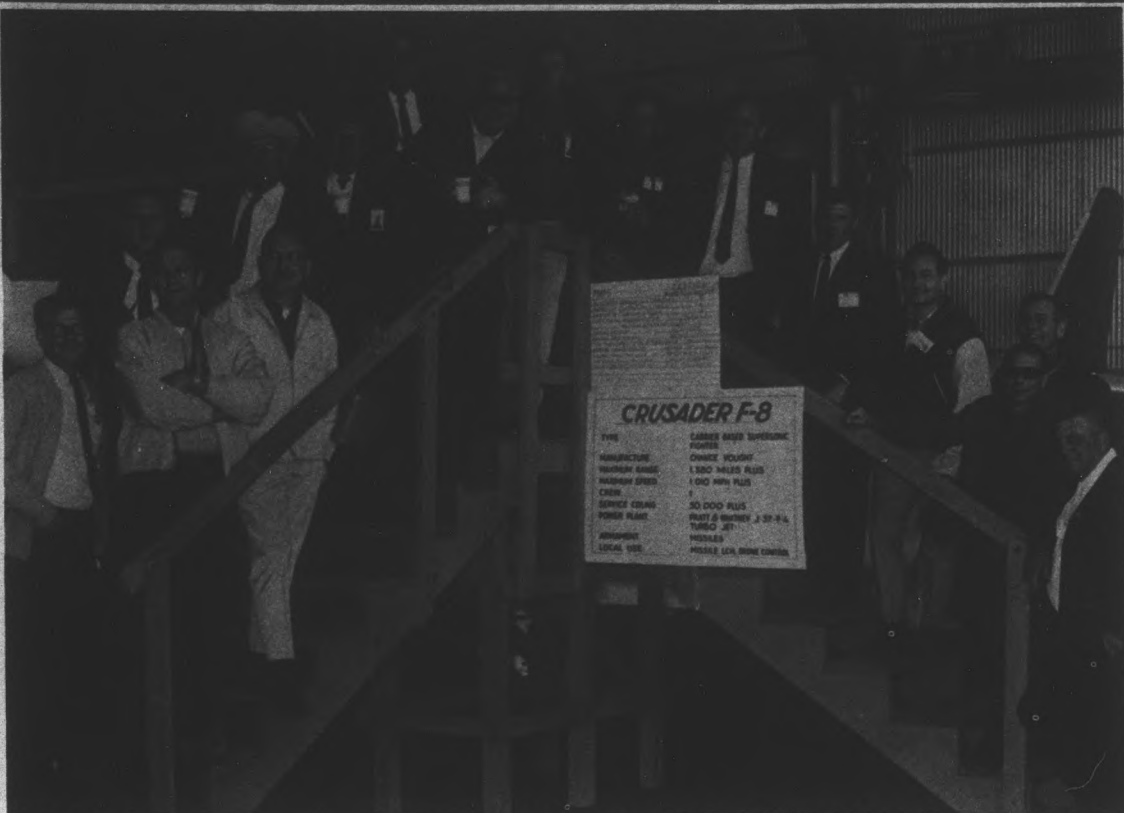
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Lucey, Mac Williams, Ed Schneegas, Loren Schmid, president of the Tulare County Navy League; Jim Valpey, John Josephson, Dick Huth, Harry Falconer, Don Laux, Bob Nuckols, Fred Adams, and Bill Rodgers. On the Center base are 13,000 persons, about 90 per cent of them civilians,

working in the highly technical program of warfare analysis, research, development, testing, evaluation, systems integration, and Fleet engineering support in Naval weapons systems, principally for air warfare.

(Farm Tribune photo)

Fiddlefaddling

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wagons and other necessary paraphernalia; the shoeing of horses; the printing of stamps; the naming of scouts, teamsters and outriders; the oiling of the cannon; the route to be taken; and the procurement of supplies.

In addition certain of the fearless frontiersmen will palaver fur a spell concerning the placing of a spectacular array of riders, entertainers and dispensers of Dr. Small's Magic Elixir in a parade that is rumored to be coming down Kern canyon into Whiskey Flat on February 24, or thereabouts.

Let it be said here and now that all of them honest citizens who deem it the high honor that it is to ride with the Jackass Mail, and who possess the intestinal fortitude to journey to Whiskey Flat at the appointed time, are welcome to the meeting.

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MRS. CERNIGA IS SPEAKER AT BURTON 4-H

BURTON - Burton 4-H hosted a special guest in January at their first meeting in 1968, Mrs. Raymond Cerniga, an expert on horses. She talked about and showed slides concerning Arabian horses; she is a consistent winner with her horses at Arabian horse shows.

Project reports were given by: Preston Shires, Paul Shires, Pat Shires, Mark Shepard, Rick Seratte, Nick Serafin, Janet Serafin, Kim Serafin, Terry Roberson, Linda Ream, Charles Ream, and Robby Phillips.

Cindy Pierce and Sue

Ellen Vossler reported on a field trip taken by horse project members to a horse ranch near Badger.

It was decided that Burton 4-H will have a skating party. A committee headed by Marianne Nuckols was chosen to decide the time, date, and which other 4-H club to invite.

John Braly led the flag salute, and the 4-H pledge was led by John Della. Gary Weisenberger called the meeting to order.

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By John

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Should you also have pruning problems we hope you'll come by and exchange thoughts on the subject. There is a proper way to prune most anything and possibly we can aid you in finding that way. If nothing else you may browse through, or even purchase, a Sunset Pruning Book. The best we've seen on the subject.

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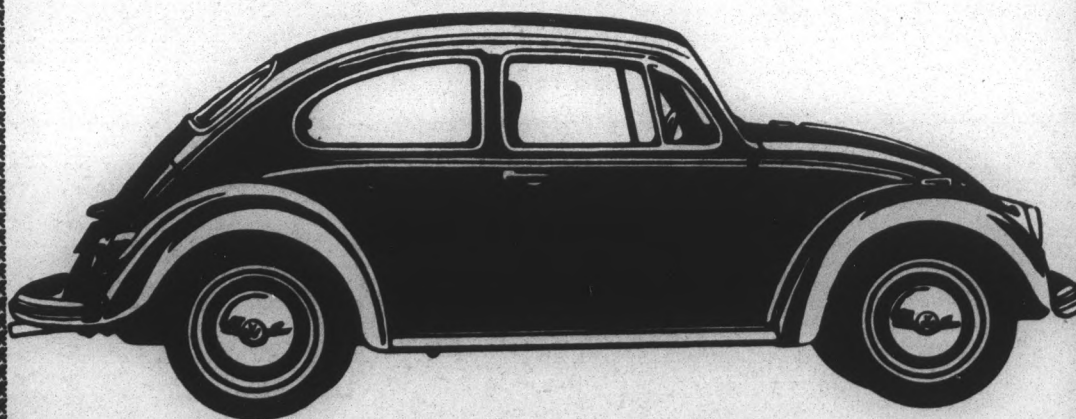
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This year, according to the Chinese Calendar, is the year of 4666 - the Year of the Monkey.

Children born in 4666 are destined to be exceptionally intelligent and endowed with the quality of perseverance.

To observe this Chinese New Years, the Gang Sues and the Tim Sues are presenting a gala celebration Friday and Saturday evenings in the New and Beautiful Gang Sue's on North Main street in Porterville.

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and new winners. In group at left are first year winners, from left, back row: Larry Goss, Ray Stanley, Tom Lacey, David Gavel, Bob Schwab and Don White; center - Jerry Ridgway, Myrna

Chase; Daniel J. Gainey, president of Josten's, from Owatonna, Minnesota; Rose Pather and Gary Hunt; seated - Kathy Winfree, Karen Fowler, Barbara Harris, Wilma Lasseter, Janie Monte-

cinis, Jean Combs, and Judy Hulse. Center photo: Roy Ebenhok, 10-year service award winner, and Charlie Duncan, production manager and third-year award winner. Right photo: Bill

Sparks, master of ceremonies for the dinner; Al Merkel, divisional operational manager, from Owatonna; Gainey, and Bob Dusek, resident manager in Porterville. (Hammond Studio photo)

Milk Pooling

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Dr. Jerome Siebert, University of California at Berkeley; Wesley Sawyer, Modesto dairyman; and Jim Rowley, president of Consolidated Milk Producers and a Tulare county dairyman.

The passing of AB 910 by the California State legislature on July 27, 1967, and its subsequent signing

by Governor Reagan, set into motion the machinery for establishing production bases and a statewide pool to replace the current contract and handlerpool method of paying all producers, says Hubble.

AB 910, by itself, was only a piece of "enabling" legislation, but after months of work by the state Director of Agriculture's office and his formulating

committee, made up of 32 statewide dairymen, a proposed milk pooling plan has been drafted, based on the requirements set forth in AB 910.

The new plan is an extreme change from the present handlerpool method of milk marketing, and will affect all Grade A milk producers in the entire state. It is important that all dairymen know what this change will mean to them before the public hearings are held prior to the drafting of the final plan, Hubble says.

JACK CHRISMAN IS REAPPOINTED

VISALIA - Ira J. Chrisman, former Visalia mayor and Tulare county rancher, has been reappointed to the

California Water commission by Governor Ronald Reagan. Chrisman will continue as chairman of the commission, having been named last April to a two-year term.

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Lemon harvest is picking up in southern California with good prices and increased demand.

Harvest of Tangerines and Mandarin oranges is increasing in the Coachella and Imperial valleys.

WHILE WE usually consider internal workings of fraternal organizations as privileged material, we feel that the mystery of Snowball, the vanishing porker, is worthy of note in the public print. Snowball is a money-raising project for East Central District Elk lodges - 10 of them - said money to be presented to the California Elks association at a state convention in Fresno next May as a contribution to the Elks Major Project fund that involves a therapy program for victims of cerebral palsy. Taft Elks conceived the project, acquired Snowball, built him (or her) a lovely, portable, purple pen, and set up the rules of the project: Each lodge pays a dollar a pound for Snowball when they receive him (or her) plus one dollar a pound for weight gain while in possession of the lodge, and \$10 per pound for weight loss. In actual operation, it appears that Snowball, after being dropped on a lodge is to be unloaded to another lodge as soon as possible. After leaving Taft, Snowball passed through the tender care of Elks at Coalinga and Delano, then, last Monday night, was brought to the Porterville Lodge of Elks by a contingent of Delano Elks, headed by Loyal Knight Tony Panero, and placed under the stewardship of Porterville Loyal Knight Don Daley. After which Snowball disappeared and has not been seen since. Daley professes to be unconcerned with the fact that Snowball is now worth about \$600, on the hoof or in absentia, and that if the porker continues this in absentia bit, and cannot be unloaded on another Elk lodge in the district, Daley will be called upon to produce \$600. Says Daley, "I know that Snowball is in the good hands of Brother Elks, in fact I know he (or she) is receiving kind and loving care and is putting on weight (at a dollar a pound) at a spectacular feed-gain ratio. I am not worried (much) but I do want my Brother Elks to know that I have alerted city police, the county sheriff, the Highway patrol, the FBI, Treasury Department agents, a firm of private detectives and the U.S. Marines. But of course, I'm really not worried." To which Daley added, "Snowball, Snowball, wherever you are, please come home."

(Farm Tribune photo, taken after a daring infiltration of the secret hideaway of the pig stealers.)

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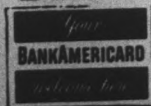
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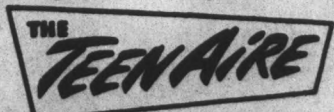
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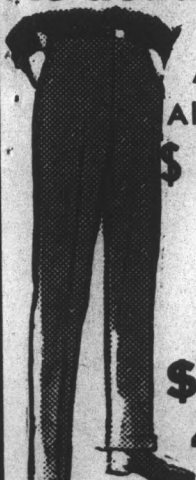
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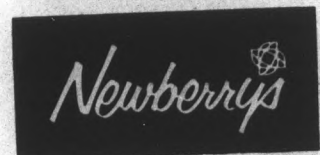
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Tulare County Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing on February 20, 1968, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., in the Supervisors' Chambers, Courthouse, Mineral King and Mooney Boulevard, Visalia, California.

The hearing will pertain to Change of Zone as recommended by the Tulare County Planning Commission in its Resolution No. 3100, Change of Zone No. 152 for Parts Nos. 180 and 182, as requested by Helen L. McCormick, Sally C. Cherry and Thomas W. Cherry, 157 South Las Palmas, Los Angeles, California, for a change of zone from an R-A, Rural Residential zone, and an A-1, Agricultural to A-E, Exclusive Agricultural zone, of approximately 362 acres, being a portion of the southeast quarter of Section 25, Township 19 South, Range 25 East, M.D.B.&M., two miles northeast of Tulare, California.

All interested persons may appear and be heard at said time and place. Dated: January 24, 1968.

JAMES E. HOWARD, County Clerk and ex-officio clerk of the Board of Supervisors
By Carol I. Santos, Deputy

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Superior Court of the State of California
For the County of Tulare

No. 19572

Estate of
WESLEY M. MOORHEAD, also known as Wesley Moorhead, and W. M. Moorhead, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran and Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated January 23, 1968.

THELMA BESSIE MOORHEAD, Executrix of the Will of the above named decedent.
Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
Attorneys at Law
141 East Mill Avenue
Porterville, California 93257
Telephone: (209) 784-5064
Attorneys for Executrix.
First publication: January 25, 1968.
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Porterville Chamber

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ese destroyer.

Commander Robinson, while engaged on a mission to rescue Kennedy had his boat shot out from under him, and, subsequently, spent three months with Kennedy as both of them recuperated. He will tell of his personal experiences in this highly publicized military action in the South Pacific.

Master of ceremonies for the dinner will be Barney Richardson; invocation will be spoken by the Rev. Fred Fanthorpe, president of the Porterville Ministerial association; the Fabulous Studio band, directed by Buck Shaffer, will entertain; Frank Kidder, 1967 chamber president, will extend the official welcome

and report on activities of the past year; and chamber officers, directors and committee chairmen will be introduced.

Vocal selections will be presented by The Kings Men - Bobbie Allison, Victor Black, Dave Daniel and Bruce Klassen.

Always a highlight of the annual chamber banquet is the announcement of the man, woman, and organization of the year, with winners presented by last year's winners - Ethel Prestage, woman of the year; Ted Cornell, man of the year; and the president of the Breakfast Lions, organization of the year.

Final decision on Porterville's 1967 man, woman and organization of the year was made this week at a meeting of a secret committee appointed by Frank Kidder, 1967 president. Winners were selected on a basis of activities during the year of 1967.

Kidder, the only person associated with the Porterville chamber who knows the identity of the members of the selection committee, states that under provisions set up a number of years ago, the selection of the man, woman and organization of the year is based on community work during the past

year - in this case, 1967.

Committee analysis of community work covers four major points: 1. Cultural impact on the community; 2. Financial benefits to the community; 3. Influence on general community betterment; and 4. Creation of favorable publicity for the community of Porterville.

Only in cases where competition is very close does the committee go further back than the year covered by the award and consider activities of an individual or organization during previous years.

Kidder states that it is the job of the secret selection committee to seek out possible candidates. In this connection, individuals within the community are invited each year to submit the names and record of accomplishment of men, women and organizations they believe might be eligible for an award.

Final decision of the selection committee is not on a basis of "votes" mailed in, but on the record of accomplishment of men, women and organizations during the past year.



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Bring on, in addition, a trio of old pros in supporting roles, namely Bill Pukmel, Ken Caston, and Jack Havery; drop in a couple of new, very cute dolls in the persons of Shirley Lacey and Claudia Kirk; bring up another newcomer, Doran Steinhour who can be classed as neither cute nor a doll but who is adequate in fast company, and The Odd Couple becomes a stage production something not too much less than of professional calibre.

Of course, it's Bill White and Eldon Hunt all the way—both of them Barn troupers from way back; both of them

capable of carrying a show all on their own; both of them among the best who have trod the Barn boards.

Put them together in one show—then take your choice: Bill with his more boisterous type of performance; Eldon with his finely-polished characterization; both of them funny, funny, funny; both of them tremendous.

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gether with a sure, professional touch; timing and movement are excellent; supporting characters are characters for sure; total effect is a comedy that starts patrons of the Barn laughing early, keeps them laughing, and leaves them laughing.

Which is really what a comedy is supposed to do.

The Odd Couple played to two standing-room-only houses on opening weekend. If you want to catch this one, February 2, 3, 9, or 10, better crank up Mr. Bell, 784-1450, and make reservations.



BILL WHITE and ELDON HUNT (Edwards Studio photo)

Cotton Clinic

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foliation, and new farming methods and practices.

And with experience in California indicating that the pink bollworm has found the greenest of pastures in which to expand, control of this pest that could add tremendous expense to cotton production will be one of the primary subjects of the meeting.

All cotton producers and persons interested in the cotton industry are invited to attend. Coffee will be served in the morning; a complimentary luncheon will be served at noon, and a 19-inch Curtis Mathis

City Of Hope

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Shaffer states that acts will be screened this year, and that in order to "make the show," individuals and groups must have a well-rehearsed and entertaining routine.

Working again with Shaffer will be Donna Kotchevar, on the organ, and Bill Rodgers as master of ceremony.

Firms donating the TV set are: From Visalia, Valley Warehouse, Sequoia Feed and Farm Supply, and Pure Gro company; from Tulare, Moore Supply company, Coberly & Plumb, and Niagara Chemical division; from Lindsay, Leffingwell Chemical company; from Corcoran, Pure Gro company; and from Hanford, Coberly & Plumb.

The meeting is one of a series of four being held in California, three in the San Joaquin valley.

On Monday, February 6, the program will be presented at the Del Webb hotel in Fresno, starting at 9 a.m.; on Wednesday, February 7, at the King Arthur's House of Prime Rib in Bakersfield, starting at 9 a.m.; and on Friday, February 9, at the Del Rio Country club, in Brawley, starting at 9 a.m.

monies.

And in the featured spot will be Don Anderson, the very fine vocalist who starred in the Barn theater production of "Guys and Dolls" and who, in the Spectacular, will sing a medley of well-known Irish tunes.

The Spectacular is sponsored by the Porterville Auxiliary of the City of Hope, a pilot medical center dedicated to treatment and study of catastrophic diseases.

All persons needing care are received at the City of Hope without regard to creed, national origin or ability to pay. Several persons in the Porterville area have been patients at the center.

Tickets for the City of Hope Spectacular are on sale throughout the Porterville community and will be available at the door on show night. Adult donation is \$1.00; children under 12 years, 50 cents.

All performers donate their talents to the show; all money raised goes to the City of Hope.

Tickets Moving

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compared by Congressman Bob Mathias, of Visalia.

Serving is scheduled for 7:30 p.m.; tickets are priced at \$5.00, and are available in the community from Lester J. Hamilton, Wy Grier, Hal Campbell, and Edgar Prestage.

Presiding will be Ralph Rosedale, of Dinuba, chairman of the County Republican committee.

Ben Bates, of Leroy, Ind., earned \$5,319 for just 8.2 seconds of action in steer wrestling during the recent National Western rodeo at Denver.

Crop Insurance

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FCIC representative, Weldon Clark, at 784-6404, is now in Tulare county explaining the program. Also, complete details may be obtained without obligation by writing: Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, Room 4110 Federal Bldg., U. S. Courthouse, 1130 "O" Street, Fresno, California 93721.

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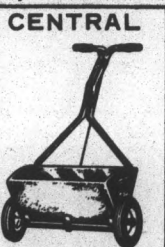


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